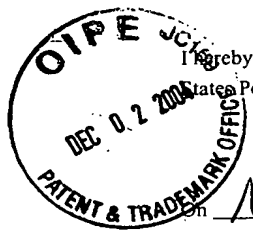


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Response to Restriction Requirement

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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated November 2, 2004, counsel for Assignee elects to prosecute the claims of species I (claims 1-6) without traverse.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 650-326-2400.

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